

Senator Abeles' Dry Vote Halts Bronx Fusion

Democrats Refuse to Stand for His Renomination Because He Voted With Walters for Amendment

Socialists Likely to Win

Will Probably Reseat the Ousted Assemblymen and May Get a Senator

The vote more than a year ago of Senator Peter Abeles, of the Bronx, for the ratification of the Eighteenth Amendment, is what blocked the plan in the Bronx yesterday to bring about a fusion of the Republicans and Democrats against the Socialists, Orr and De Witt, who were expelled from the Assembly last winter at the instigation of Speaker Sweet.

Not only Orr and De Witt, in the Bronx, but Chassens and Waldman, of Manhattan, and Solomon, of Brooklyn, comprising the five expelled members, all stand a good chance of reelection, and in the Bronx, on account of the disagreement yesterday, the Socialists stand to win a Senator.

Two years ago the Republicans and Democrats united in the nomination of Senator Peter Abeles, who was elected without serious opposition. When the battle for the ratification of the Eighteenth Amendment took place, Senator Abeles, the Republican leader, who he voted for the ratification, the closeness of the vote would indicate that his vote alone swung the decision. Senator Abeles, Senator Walters' personal friend, said that he would stand with him for ratification, and he did.

The incident was raised up against Senator Abeles yesterday, when the final conference took place between the Republican and Democratic leaders looking to a fusion against Orr and De Witt. Tax Commissioner Arthur Murphy, the Democratic leader, said that Bronx Democrats never would stand for the renomination of Abeles. Richard W. Lawrence, the Republican leader, declared that the Republican organization would not permit the turning down of Abeles.

The election two years ago of the fusion vote for Abeles was 23,529, as against 14,863 for Esther Friedman, Socialist. With three candidates in the field, the Socialist say they will elect their candidate.

Many Petitions Filed

In Kings County a large number of candidates were busy yesterday on their petitions. The judicial situation was much mixed by the failure of the big party to get a number of the retiring justices. In many of the Congress, Senate and Assembly districts, where the Republican and Democratic organization leaders had designated for an office, an important aspirant also entered the race and the filings of the petitions continued clear up to midnight.

Mayor Adolph L. Kline is the choice of the Republican organization for Congress in the Fifth District. Senators Lockwood and Burlingame were designated by the organization. Where it seemed impossible to unite on a single candidate the leaders in most instances kept hands off, with the result that the primaries this year will be the fiercest since the decade. There will be no "fusion" nomination of the Democrats and the Republicans in the 2nd Assembly District, Brooklyn, to elect Charles Solomon, the ousted Socialist, to the Assembly. That district. This announcement was made last night by William J. Power, brother of United States Marshal James Power, Democratic leader of the district. There had been predictions recently that the two larger parties would "fuse" to beat Solomon at the special election, but the leaders now take the view that a fusion of the Social or Republican has as good a chance for election as the Socialist and will make the race at the special election on September 16 a three-cornered one.

The Designations

The designations of the big parties for Congress, Senate and Assembly follow:

FOR MEMBER OF CONGRESS

New York County (Republican)

11th—Wilbur F. Wakeman, Richmond and New York City.

12th—Henry M. Goldfogel (fusion, renomination).

13th—Christopher D. Sullivan (fusion, renomination).

14th—Nathan D. Perlman (fusion, for unexpired term of E. H. La Guardia).

15th—Thomas A. Ryan.

16th—Warren S. Fisher.

17th—Orville L. Munn.

18th—Henry J. O'Connor.

19th—Walter M. Chandler.

20th—Isaac Siegel (fusion, renomination).

21st—Martin C. Connor.

New York County (Republican)

FOR MEMBER OF STATE SENATE

12th—Jacob S. Shapiro.

13th—William H. Brady.

14th—Bernard Downing (fusion).

15th—Albert Ottenger.

16th—Thomas M. Ryan.

17th—William W. Foster (fusion, contest).

18th—Schuyler Ayer (fusion, contest).

19th—Louis A. Mendicino.

20th—William Dugan.

21st—Vard V. Tilden.

NEW YORK COUNTY REPUBLICAN

For Member of Assembly

1st—Henry C. Parks.

2nd—William H. Brady.

3rd—William H. Brady.

4th—Samuel Dickstein (fusion renomination).

5th—John McCann.

6th—Sol Ulanoff (fusion renomination).

7th—David B. Fox (renomination).

8th—Morris D. Reiss (fusion).

9th—Edward R. Ryan.

10th—Bernard Aronson.

11th—Frederick H. Nichols.

12th—Joseph A. Hervey Jr.

13th—Robert R. Wallace (renomination).

14th—Charles J. Bernier (renomination).

15th—Joseph Steinberg (renomination).

16th—Abraham Ober.

17th—Nathan Lieberman (fusion).

18th—Daniel J. Naughtin.

19th—Marguerite L. (renomination).

20th—Charles Tremaine.

21st—John Clifford Hawkins (renomination).

22nd—Oscar J. Smith (renomination).

23rd—George N. Jones (renomination).

NEW YORK COUNTY-DEMOCRATIC

For Members of Congress

11th—Daniel J. Riordan (renomination).

12th—Henry M. Goldfogel (fusion, renomination).

13th—Christopher D. Sullivan (fusion, renomination).

14th—Nathan D. Perlman, fusion.

15th—Peter J. Dougan (renomination).

16th—Thomas M. Ryan (renomination).

17th—Herbert C. Peil (renomination).

18th—John F. Carow (renomination).

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Maryland Negro Chosen to Make U. S. Senate Race

Members of Race, Indignant at Lack of Patronage from Republican Leaders, Hope to Beat Regular Nominee

BALTIMORE, Aug. 17.—A committee of representative negroes, indignant at the refusal of Republican leaders to recognize them in patronage, met last night at Trinity Baptist Church and nominated W. Ashbie Hawkins, negro attorney, as a candidate for the United States Senate.

Attorney Hawkins will compete in the contest next November as an independent Republican, opposing O. E. Weller, Republican, and John Walter Smith, Democrat. The forty or fifty who unanimously voted for his selection declared they represented an overwhelming proportion of the negro vote in this city.

Under the state election law it will be necessary for the committee to get the signatures of 500 voters to the petition for nomination, and it must be filed with the Secretary of State. No difficulty in obtaining the signatures will be experienced, the committee declared.

They formed the Independent Republican League, elected officers and designated an executive committee to prosecute a vigorous campaign. Spokesmen for the committee of forty asserted their candidate would not be able to defeat his rivals, but that if they could line up the negro vote they could insure the defeat of Mr. Weller, whom they excoriated as an "ingrate" and "an unworthy representative of the Republican party."

The committee unanimously adopted resolutions in which they say that to vote for Mr. Weller would be to "injure the unrighteous insult to the black group of Republicans" who have been denied their rights by "unworthy evasion and crooked devices."

The negroes declare Mr. Weller "the puppet, representative of the Lily White feeling within the Republican party."

The negroes have their guns trained especially on Mayor Broening. They condemn him for his failure to give them positions in the municipal government, which, they feel, they deserve after the overwhelming majority they rolled up in the 14th and 17th wards, admittedly negro districts.

Phials from War Stores Long at Sea Come Ashore

Thousands of Containers of Mysterious White Powders Picked Up on Beaches

For the last two weeks there have been cast up along the Jersey and Long Island shores thousands of phials, filled with a white powder and hermetically sealed—phials which little cubes of shipping, overseas for use in the manufacture of chemical weapons, were buried against a rock.

The phials contain calcium hydrochloride, a preparation used during the war to purify water.

But to-night the mystery was solved. Having identified the phials as part of those made in the United States and incased in vacuum tubes for shipment overseas for use in the manufacture of chemical weapons, the authorities are still unable to answer the question of how, more than two years after fighting had ended, the phials came to be washed ashore in this country.

The most logical conclusion, that cases containing the water purifier had been hurled overboard or that a ship bearing them overseas had been sunk off this coast, met no support from army transportation officers here, who only theory substituted was that mysterious ocean currents had brought into the New York harbor, after two years, phials lost in the torpedoing of some transport on the other side of the Atlantic.

Ferry "Excursionist" Fined

Staten Island Court Rules Passengers Must Leave Boat

Loaning trip excursions across the Bay without leaving the municipal ferry boats at the Staten Island terminal were legally condemned yesterday in a decision by Judge Mullen, in the Municipal Court at Stapleton. He held that passengers must leave the boats promptly on their arrival at the terminal. Thousands of sweltering city dwellers have been in the habit of making two or three round trips without leaving the boat.

This practice, however, led to the preempting of seats by the excursionists to the exclusion of regular ferry passengers and the loss of some fares to the city. Commissioner Grover A. Whalen of the Department of Plant and Structures, promulgated the rule compelling passengers to leave the boats at the terminals. Theodore A. Prince, a passenger, refused to leave the ferryboat at St. George, questioning the reasonableness of the rule, and was summoned to the magistrate's court. Judge Mullen held that the rule was a reasonable one and Mr. Prince was fined \$1.

Rumor of Rail Tragedy False

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Aug. 17.—Rumors of a train wreck in Indiana, in which twenty-six persons had been killed, were disproved by investigation today. There were two derailments on the New York Central line, one at Chesterton, Ind., and the other at Osceola, Ind., but no one was injured or killed in either.

Mexican Oil Tax Protested

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 17.—New protests against the oil taxes have been made by the petroleum companies, according to a Treasury announcement today. The oil men contend the taxes are exorbitant, and that Mexican oil cannot be consumed in the United States in the future because of the resulting high prices.

Site of Ancient Tiberias Is Believed Unearthed

U. S. to Insist On Indemnities From Mexicans

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 17.—The site of ancient Tiberias is believed to have been unearthed, says a Jerusalem dispatch to "The Times." The Alleged discovery of the ruins of the city, which played a notable part in Jewish and Christian history, was made by Jewish workmen who were building a government road near Tabariyeh, the modern town.

When the remnants of old walls and columns began coming to light, the government immediately stopped the work. The director of the department of antiquities then visited the spot, accompanied by two members of the Jewish Exploration Society. The society has obtained permission to conduct further excavations.

Woman and Boy Die, 11 Hurt, in Three Motor Accidents

Wife of B. R. T. Secretary Is Killed by Shock as Autos Sideswipe in Brooklyn; Child Is Struck by Truck

One woman was killed and eight persons were injured when two automobiles in trying to avoid a collision sideswiped each other at the intersection of Clarendon Road and Rogers Avenue, Brooklyn, last night.

Mrs. Harry Potts, wife of the secretary of the B. R. T. of 3404 Avenue D, Flatbush, died of shock on the way to the hospital. She had been suffering from heart disease, doctors said.

In the car with her was Louis Besdine, owner of 855 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, whose leg, forehead and hand were injured. The others hurt were:

Harry Potts, husband of the dead woman, contusion of left leg, sprained right hip and possible fracture of the hip.

Miss Florence Hunt, twenty-four, of 3 Virginia Place, Brooklyn, cuts on knees.

They were taken to Swedish Hospital. Frank Mathias, chauffeur, of 1272 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, cuts and bruises.

Harry Seft, of 17 Thaford Avenue, Brooklyn, was driving the second car. It was owned by Abraham Ginsburg, of St. Mark's Place, Brooklyn. Others in the machine were Mrs. Elman, of 93 Herzel Street, Brooklyn; a Mr. Levy, of 1769 Park Place, Brooklyn; and Mrs. Karp. They were all slightly injured.

Both chauffeurs were arrested and taken to the Flatbush police station pending an investigation into the accident.

Mathias was released later, but Seft was held, charged with homicide and reckless driving.

John Weisen, thirteen years old, a newsboy, of 131 West 101st Street, was killed last night at Amsterdam Avenue and Ninety-fourth Street, when he was struck by an automobile truck driven by Andrew Regan, of 310 West 150th Street.

The boy was thrown several feet into the path of a southbound Amsterdam Avenue surface car. Motorist Patrick Bane, of 302 East Seventieth Street, stopped the car just as the wheels touched the child's body.

Regan was locked up in the West 101st Street station on a charge of homicide.

Three persons were injured, two of them seriously, when an automobile water and Broad avenues, Ridgfield, N. J., yesterday afternoon.

Richard Bartenwasser, a garage owner, of Fairview, N. J., was driving the car. Accompanying him were William Jenne, fifty-five, Bartenwasser's father-in-law, and Englebert Clemens, a friend, both of Fairview. Jenne and Clemens suffered fractures of the skull and Jenne's leg was broken. They were removed to the Englewood Hospital. Bartenwasser, who received minor injuries, was taken to the Hackensack Hospital.

U. S. to Insist On Indemnities From Mexicans

Payment to Victims of Injury One of Conditions Which Must Precede American Recognition

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 17.—(By the Associated Press).—President Wilson is ready to recognize the present Mexican government if the latter agrees with the terms set forth in a proposal from Secretary of State Coby on this subject, according to a message sent to President de la Huerta from Fernando Calderon, Mexican High Commissioner to the United States, now in the American capital, says the "Excelsior" to-day.

Secretary Coby's proposition, according to the newspaper, was:

First—That North American lives and property be respected.

Second—That indemnities be paid foreigners who suffered during the revolution.

Third—That the Carranza decrees which are found to be confiscatory be abrogated.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The three proposals given in Mexico City dispatches as precedent to recognition of the present Mexican government by the United States are "only a few of the conditions announced by this government," according to a State Department official. It is true that the three conditions—respect for American lives and property, indemnities paid foreigners who suffered during the revolution and derogation of the confiscatory decrees of Carranza—are among the conditions laid down, but "performance of duties toward the United States" is put above all conditions, it was said.

Recognition has not been promised Mexico under any conditions, it was authoritatively stated to-day.

The State Department is inclined to await developments in Mexico before granting recognition to see how stable a government the present regime is able to establish and to what extent it is willing to perform by actual deeds the international obligations of a civilized state.

Eight Leaders Selected For Negroes in America

J. W. H. Eason of New York Heads List From Which Chief Will Be Chosen

Eight candidates for leadership of the negroes in America were nominated last night by the delegates to the convention now being held under the auspices of the Universal Negro Improvement Society in Liberty Hall, West 133rd Street.

Marcus Garvey, president of the Universal Society and the favorite for the presidency of the proposed negro nation in Africa, said: "We are unable to elect a leader to the White House, but we intend to have a Black House, where one of our race will serve us for a term of four years."

The candidates nominated were J. W. H. Eason, of New York; Dr. J. Gordon, of Los Angeles, Calif.; W. C. Matthews, former Assistant District Attorney of Boston; Leroy Bundy, "hero of the St. Louis riots"; H. W. Kirby, of Washington, D. C.; John D. Brooks, and John E. Bruce, of New York and W. M. Trotter, of Boston.

Election of the leader will take place to-morrow night. The provisional President of Africa and the leader of the West Indian Islands also will be selected that night.

Accepts \$1,000,000 Judgment

Harry H. Straus filed in the Supreme Court yesterday a stipulation accepting the offer of Charles Pfeiffer that a judgment for \$1,000,000 be taken against him in a suit brought by Mr. Straus. The action was one for commissions. Mr. Pfeiffer is now living in France.

Women Writers to Help Republican Campaign

Executive Advisory Board Appointed to Function With the Speakers' Bureau

The Republican National Committee announced yesterday the appointment of an executive advisory board consisting of women writers to function with the women's division of the national committee's speakers' bureau.

This board includes women writers of prominence such as Mary Roberts Rinehart, novelist; Anna Steese Richardson, of the "Woman's Home Companion"; Mabel Collyer, of "Life"; Elizabeth Frazier, of the "Saturday Evening Post" and other magazines, and Margaret McGiffert, of the "Atlantic Monthly." Corinne Roosevelt Robinson also is a member of the board.

Mrs. Manley L. Fosses, of Minneapolis, is co-chairman, with Senator Harry S. New, of Indiana, in directing work of the speakers' bureau. Mrs. Fosses is directly in charge of the women speakers and is having a card index made which will contain the names of at least 2,000 women who will be subject to call as campaign speakers.

Dr. Heller Ousted From Mexican Army By General Calles

Emissary of Carranza to Berlin During War Is Declared an Adventurer; More Rebel Troops Quit

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MEXICO CITY, Aug. 17.—Dr. Maximilian Krumm Heller, who holds the rank of colonel in the Mexican army, will be summarily dismissed, according to General Calles, Minister of War.

"This doctor is an adventurer and I have no use for him in the army," said General Calles to-day. "I am surprised to find that important commissions have been intrusted to him."

Heller was attached to the Mexican Legation in Berlin during the Carranza regime and during the World War made several trips between Germany and Mexico. His name was frequently mentioned in connection with alleged German connections of Carranza, intended to incite anti-American and pro-German sentiment in Mexico.

Heller at one time came seriously to the attention of the British authorities, who defamed him in London, but his naturalization as a Mexican saved him.

It is known here that diplomats of the Allied and associated powers in Mexico City were offended at the official position given Heller here for some time past, but it was said to-night that nothing official had been done to call the matter to the attention of the Mexican government.

General Calles has known Heller for several years and he showed plainly that he was disgusted because Heller was given army rank without his knowledge.

Dr. Paul Altendorff, who claims to have been an American secret agent, is still in Mexico City, but probably will depart at once. General Calles was said to have delayed in deporting him was due to the fact that the department of war had forgotten about him. Altendorff also said: "Day before yesterday was Sunday and yesterday nobody thought about me. I reminded them this afternoon and they expect to take me North at once."

Two lieutenants under the bandit Zamora arrived here to-day from Jalisco as emissaries to arrange for surrender of their men to General Calles, and conferred at length with General Serrano, Sub-Secretary of War. General Calles has personally conferred with General Enrique Estrada, commander of the campaign against them, and all arrangements were being made there. These desertions leave Zamora with very few men, and it is expected that others will follow the example of those who are giving up to the government, when it is learned more generally that all those follow-

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Gen. Salazar to Succeed Cantu as Governor of Lower California To-day

MEXICALI, Lower Cal., Aug. 17.—(By The Associated Press).—Arrangements for transfer of the Governorship of the northern district of Lower California from Esteban Cantu, who has been in revolt for the last three weeks, to General Luis M. Salazar, to-morrow, virtually were completed to-night.

Governor Cantu authorized the statement that General Salazar would succeed him to-morrow.

It was announced that Cantu soon would resume his colonelcy in the Mexican army and that meantime he would visit Mexico City as the guest of Vice Alessio Robles, editor of "El Democrata" and brother to M. Alessio Robles, private secretary to Adolfo Dela Huerta, Provisional President.

Vice Alessio Robles has been participating in the negotiations here.

Still More Increases in Milk Prices Forecast

Prospective Advance of Freight Rate Among Factors Likely to Raise Cost

The proposed increase of 20 per cent in the freight rate on fluid milk, now being considered by government and railroad officials, will add a burden of many millions in increased costs to the milk distributors, according to H. A. Cronk, vice-president of the Borden's Farm Products Company.

Cronk said yesterday that the proposed increase would add between \$750,000 and \$1,000,000 to the freight costs of the Borden company alone. Between one-fourth and one-third of a cent thus would be added to the cost of each quart of milk to the distributor, he said. He declared that milk dealers already were operating on a

small margin of profit and increased freight rates are bound to affect future costs.

While the increased cost to the distributors is not sufficient materially to affect the price of milk to the public, it is asserted that other added charges, such as increases paid to farmers for raw milk, may force a change in the present retail price schedule.

The September price to the farmer will be 30 cents on each 100 pounds (forty-six and one-half quarts) more than the August price.

Court Robbed of \$25,000

Los Angeles Judge's Safe Looted With 27 Officers Near

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 17.—The safe in Police Judge Ray L. Chasbro's courtroom, in Central Police Station, was robbed last night of approximately \$25,000. It was discovered when court opened to-day.

The robbers overlooked more than \$17,000.

The courtroom is directly over the Detective Bureau, where seven detectives and about twenty policemen were on duty last night. The safe door mechanism was found intact, but as inner cash box was smashed.

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